

# 2022 BLUSHING SISTERS ROSE OF PINOT NOIR

## Russian River Valley



DUTTON ESTATE  
WINERY



### PAIRING

“Equally enjoyable with goat cheese and frisée salad or seared tuna with ginger on the barbecue!”



### COMPOSITION

Pinot Noir 100% | Clones 115, 828, 777, 667

### VINEYARD

Dutton Ranch has 80+ vineyards in the beautiful Russian River Valley. Our treasure, the Blushing Sisters, is a delightful Pinot Noir Rosé named after Tracy and Joe's three daughters: Kyndall, Kylie, and Karmen Isabella. With a six-generation legacy, the Dutton Estate proudly leads alongside fellow grape growers. Our vineyards hold Sonoma County Sustainably-Farmed and FishFriendly certifications, reflecting our commitment to environmental stewardship. Through dry-farming techniques, we consistently yield grapes with an enchanting and authentic character, cherished in our history.

### WINEMAKING

Our exclusive Blushing Sister's Rosé of Pinot Noir is meticulously crafted from select vineyards in the cool Russian River Valley. Harvested from the renowned Dutton Ranch's Manzana, Green Valley, Thomas Road, Jewell Block, and Kozlowski Vineyards, this limited production wine showcases the finest quality. It is made using the Saignée method, where fresh, expressive pink juice is carefully drawn off the top of just crushed Pinot Noir tanks and left to macerate for a refined 4-6 hours. The juice is then delicately fermented in small lots, using stainless steel, allowing for a gentle development of flavors over a period of 14 days. To add depth and complexity, the wine is aged in neutral oak barrels until it reaches optimal maturity, ensuring a truly remarkable experience upon bottling.

### TASTING NOTES

A symphony of fragrances awaits as peach, melon, and fresh strawberry entice your senses. Savor the same delightful aromas as they dance upon your palate, accompanied by the lusciousness of white peach flesh and the sweetness of ripe strawberries. Feel the vibrant notes of pink grapefruit and cantaloupe intertwined with subtle hints of lychee nut and delicate mineral complexities.

### TECHNICAL

Alcohol: 14.1% | Vineyard: Manzana, Green Valley, Thomas Road, Campbell  
pH: 3.4 | TA: 6.0 g/l | Harvest: Aug 27 - Sep 17 | Cases: 218  
Aging: Neutral French oak and stainless steel tank | Bottled: February 2023

### PRODUCER PROFILE

Winemaker: Bobby Donnell

Assistant Winemaker: Kylie Dutton

Estate Founded: 1995

Our family is six generations of forward-thinking West Sonoma County farmers. Each bottle of Dutton Estate wine is our way of sharing our love for this revelatory landscape, our commitment to sustainable farming, and our deep familial bonds.